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1. [redacted] Met with Mr. Carl Marcy, Chief of Staff, Senate Foreign Relations Committee, and borrowed a copy of the transcript of the Committee hearings of Tuesday, 28 March, on S. 2224. Mr. Marcy told me he has not been following the hearings on S. 2224 and asked whether we will be appearing. I told him we had not been called and did not expect to be and that the Agency position has been consistent in this regard. It is one of policy for determination by the White House and policy makers. Mr. Marcy commented he thought this would be the position but that he really hadn't kept pace with the Committee work on this bill.

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2. [redacted] Met with Mr. Ralph Preston, House Appropriations Committee staff, and gave him a copy of the December issue of the "International Defense Review" which he requested yesterday. He was pleased to have the copy for work this weekend. As for future issues, he asked that they be handled in the way that would best suit the Agency.

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3. [redacted] Met with Mr. Frank Slatinshek, Assistant Chief Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, and briefed him on the Yugoslavian smallpox epidemic and SS-11 Mod 3 testing.

Mr. Slatinshek told me that the DIA briefing Wednesday afternoon had gone quite well. In brief, the meeting covered recent intelligence coverage with slides illustrating the points covered.

An open date for next week was made to meet with Mr. Slatinshek to outline both the format and content for the Agency meeting with the Subcommittee that will be scheduled after the recess. 25X1

4. [redacted] Accompanied [redacted] OCI, to a briefing of Dorothy Fosdick and Richard Perle, on the staff of the Senate

25X1 Subcommittee on National Security and International Operations, on the use of overhead reconnaissance in combating the illicit international drug traffic. Neither Perle nor Miss Fosdick had much background on the drug problem and were most grateful for the information [redacted] provided them.

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